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PETITION FOR THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME TO RESPOND TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION MAILED NOVEMBER 16, 2006

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Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions for a three-month extension of time to respond to the final Office Action mailed November 16, 2006, thus extending the due date for filing the enclosed Notice of Appeal from February 16, 2007 to May 16, 2007. The fee for this extension is estimated to be \$1,020.00.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Morgan, Lewis & Bockius LLP Deposit Account No. 50-0310 for all required fees for this reply and any further reply requiring a petition for extension of time for its timely submission. A copy of this sheet is enclosed for such purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

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